

at a moment's notice for important duty on the Rio Grande.

PREPARATIONS FOR ATTACK.

Couriers were despatched from headquar-

class—the men of interest and standing in the community, representatives of public opinion—who, looking to the present security and future greatness of the country, point to a like conclusion as inevitable unless there should be a peaceable solution of the problem.

invitation to the President and Vice President, the British and German Ambassadors, the German Consul General in New York, the Governors of the New England and Middle States and the Canadian provinces to be the guests of the city during the three days of the "Rebuilding Jubilee," commencing June 4. The great concert will be on Thursday,

after alluding to the prosperity of the North and the poverty of the South, gave the audience numbering over 3,000 persons, some plain talk of Louisiana affairs. He continued:—

SENATOR CARPENTER'S SPEECH.

I must say here, gentlemen, that slavery here is not abolished.

to the instruction and elevation of the colored men (for a consideration) that at the general State election, in the Fall of 1870, the whites and blacks were arrayed against each other in solid opposition founded on the color of the cuticle. The negro who had been reared and who had volun-

THE LIGHT WEIGHTS.
The Stakes Handed Over to Seddons.
 The stakeholder, R. D. Byrnes, day before yesterday paid Seddons the stakes in the light weight championship between him and Arthur Chambers. This ends the match.